Council of the United Nations, Mallory A. Stewart, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary (Verification and Compliance), and Steven C. Bondy, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Bahrain, all of the Department of State, and other pending nominations, 10:15 a.m., SD–106/VTC.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Jeffrey M. Hovenier, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kosovo, Michael J. Murphy, of New York, to be Ambassador to Bosnia and Herzegovina, Julissa Reynoso Pantaleon, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Spain, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Principality of Andorra, and Victoria Reggie Kennedy, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Austria, all of the Department of State, and other pending nominations, 2:30 p.m., SH–216/VTC.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings to examine renewing and strengthening the Violence Against Women Act, 10 a.m., SD–226.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

House

Committee on Financial Services, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Oversight of the Securities and Exchange Commission: Putting Investors and Market Integrity First", 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Afghanistan 2001–2021: Evaluating the Withdrawal and U.S. Policies—Part II", 1 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States, hearing on H.J. Res. 55, the "Prince Jonah Kuhio Kalaniana ole Protecting Family Legacies Act"; H.R. 441, to provide for the conveyance of certain property to the Tanana Tribal Council located in Tanana, Alaska, and for other purposes; H.R. 2402, the "Winnebago Land Transfer Act of 2021"; H.R. 4881, the "Old Pascua Community Land Acquisition Act"; and H.R. 5221, the "Urban Indian Health Confer Act", 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Hurricane Ida and Beyond: Readiness, Recovery, and Resilience", 11 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight; and Subcommittee on Research and Technology, joint hearing entitled "Balancing Open Science and Security in the U.S. Research Enterprise", 10 a.m., Zoom.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD Week of October 5 through October 8, 2021 Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Paloma Adams-Allen, of the District of Columbia, to be a Deputy Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, with a vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon at 11:30 a.m.

At 2:15 p.m., cloture having been invoked, Senate will vote on the confirmation of the nomination of Paloma Adams-Allen, of the District of Columbia, to be a Deputy Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development. Following which, Senate will vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the nomination of Lauren J. King, of Washington, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington, and after up to two hours of debate, confirmation thereon.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Armed Services: October 5, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Gabriel Camarillo, of Texas, to be Under Secretary of the Army, Rachel Jacobson, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Army, and Alex Wagner, of the District of Columbia, and Andrew Philip Hunter, of Virginia, both to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, all of the Department of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD–G50.

October 7, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of David A. Honey, of Virginia, to be Deputy Under Secretary, and Brenda Sue Fulton, of New Jersey, to be an Assistant Secretary, both of the Department of Defense, and Corey Hinderstein, of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator for Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation, National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy, 9:30 a.m., SD–G50.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: October 5, business meeting to consider the nominations of Brian Eddie Nelson, of California, to be Under Secretary for Terrorism and Financial Crimes, Elizabeth Rosenberg, of Vermont, to be Assistant Secretary for Terrorist Financing, and Alexia Marie Gabrielle Latortue, of the District of Columbia, and Graham Scott Steele, of California, both to be an Assistant Secretary, all of the Department of the Treasury, Julia Ruth Gordon, of Maryland, David Uejio, of California, and Solomon Jeffrey Greene, of the District of Columbia, each to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and Alan F. Estevez, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Industry and Security, and Thea D. Rozman Kendler, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary, both of the Department of Commerce; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine Afghanistan's future, focusing on assessing the national security, humanitarian, and economic implications of the Taliban takeover, 9:45 a.m., SD-538.

October 7, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Matthew S. Axelrod, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, and Alanna McCargo, of Virginia, to be President, Government National Mortgage Association, and James Arthur Jemison II, of Michigan, and Mark Colon, of New York, both to be an Assistant Secretary, all of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, 10 a.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: October 5, Subcommittee on Consumer Protection, Product Safety, and Data Security, to hold hearings to examine protecting kids online, focusing on testimony from a Facebook whistleblower, 10 a.m., SR–253.

October 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine enhancing data security, 10 a.m., SR-253.

October 7, Subcommittee on Communications, Media, and Broadband, to hold hearings to examine the state of telehealth, focusing on removing barriers to access and improving patient outcomes, 10 a.m., SR–253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: October 5, to hold hearings to examine and consider updates to the Mining Law of 1872, 10 a.m., SD-366.

October 6, Subcommittee on National Parks, to hold hearings to examine S. 336, to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to reauthorize the Ohio & Erie National Heritage Canalway, S. 378, to reauthorize the Rivers of Steel National Heritage Area, the Lackawanna Valley National Heritage Area, the Delaware and Lehigh National Heritage Corridor, the Schuylkill River Valley National Heritage Area, and the Oil Region National Heritage Area, S. 511, to establish the Bronzeville-Black Metropolis National Heritage Area in the State of Illinois, S. 635, to reauthorize The Last Green Valley National Heritage Corridor and the Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area, S. 654, to reauthorize the Blue Ridge National Heritage Area, S. 787, to amend the Atchafalaya National Heritage Area Act to extend the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance to the local coordinating entity for the Atchafalaya National Heritage Area under that Act, S. 825, to establish the Southern Maryland National Heritage Area, S. 972, to reauthorize the Essex National Heritage Area, S. 990, to reauthorize the Northern Rio Grande National Heritage Area, S. 1004, to extend the authorization of the Mormon Pioneer National Heritage Area, to designate the Great Basin National Heritage Route in the State of Nevada as the "Great Basin National Heritage Area", to designate the Great Basin Heritage Route Partnership as the "Great Basin Heritage Area Partnership", to extend the authorization of the Great Basin National Heritage Area, S. 1112, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Chisholm National Historic Trail and the Western National Historic Trail, S. 1224, to reauthorize, and increase the total funding cap for, the America's Agricultural Heritage Partnership, to redesignate the America's Agricultural Heritage Partnership as the "Silos & Smokestacks National Heritage Area", S. 1258, to extend the authorization of each of the National Coal Heritage Area and the Wheeling National Heritage Area in the State of West Virginia, S. 1284 and H.R. 2497, bills to establish the Amache National Historic Site in the State of Colorado as a Unit of the National Park System, S. 1318, to reauthorize the Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area, S. 1329, to amend the National Aviation Heritage Area Act to reauthorize the National Aviation Heritage Area, S. 1620, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the city of Eunice, Louisiana, certain Federal land in the State of Louisiana, S. 1643, to establish the Alabama Black Belt National Heritage Area, S. 1942, to standardize the designation of National Heritage Areas, S. 1954, to reauthorize the John H. Chafee Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor, S. 2158, to extend the authorization for the Cape Cod National Seashore Advisory Commission, S. 2296, establish the Northern Neck National Heritage Area, S. 2438, to modify the boundary of the Cane River Creole National Historical Park in the State of Louisiana, S. 2441, to establish in the States of North Carolina and South Carolina the Southern Campaign of the Revolution National Heritage Corridor, S. 2482, to amend the Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership Act of 2006 to reauthorize the Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership, S. 2490, to establish the Blackwell School National Historic Site in Marfa, Texas, S. 2580, to direct the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to make free National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Passes available to members of the Armed Forces, S. 2648, to amend the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009 to reauthorize the Kenai Mountains-Turnagain Arm National Heritage Area in the State of Alaska, and S. 2763, to extend the authorization for the MotorCities National Heritage Area in the State of Michigan, 10 a.m., SD-366.

October 6, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold hearings to examine the status and management of drought in the western United States, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: October 6, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers emergency response to Hurricane Ida, 10 a.m., SD–406.

Committee on Foreign Relations: October 5, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lisa A. Carty, of Maryland, to be Representative of the United States of America on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, with the rank of Ambassador, and to be an Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations, during her tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America on the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations, Mallory A. Stewart, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary (Verification and Compliance), and Steven C. Bondy, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Kingdom of Bahrain, all of the Department of State, and other pending nominations, 10:15 a.m., SD-106/VTC.

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Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: October 7, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of

Lisa M. Gomez, of New Jersey, and Jose Javier Rodriguez, of Florida, both to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor, 10 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: October 6, business meeting to consider S. 587, to amend the Inspector General Act of 1978 to provide that the President or certain agency heads may remove the Inspector General, or place an Inspector General on non-duty status, only if certain conditions are satisfied, S. 1794, to amend the Inspector General Act of 1978 to provide testimonial subpoena authority, H.R. 2662, to amend the Inspector General Act of 1978, S. 2875, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish the Cyber Incident Review Office in the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency of the Department of Homeland Security, S. 2902, to modernize Federal information security management, and the nominations of Cathy Ann Harris, of Maryland, to be a Member, and to be Chairman, and Tristan Lynn Leavitt, of Idaho, and Raymond A. Limon, of Nevada, both to be a Member, all of the Merit Systems Protection Board, Tovah R. Calderon, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, and Kenia Seoane Lopez, Rupa Ranga Puttagunta, and Sean C. Staples, each to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, 10:15 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: October 6, to hold hearings to examine S. 648, to amend the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009 to make a technical correction to the water rights settlement for Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Reservation, and S. 1911, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Fort Belknap Indian Community, 2:30 p.m., SD–628.

Committee on the Judiciary: October 5, to hold hearings to examine renewing and strengthening the Violence Against Women Act, 10 a.m., SD-226.

October 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lucy Haeran Koh, of California, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Jane M. Beckering, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Michigan, Shalina D. Kumar, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan, Armando O. Bonilla, of Virginia, and Carolyn N. Lerner, of Maryland, both to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, and Jonathan Kanter, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD–226.

October 6, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the John R. Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act, 2 p.m., SD-G50.

October 7, Full Committee, business meeting to consider the nominations of Beth Robinson, of Vermont, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit, Jennifer Sung, of Oregon, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, Rahul Gupta, of West Virginia, to be Director of National Drug Control Policy, and Elizabeth Prelogar, of Idaho, to be Solicitor General of the United States, Department of Justice, 9 a.m., SD–226.

Committee on Rules and Administration: October 6, to hold an oversight hearing to examine Library of Congress modernization efforts, 3 p.m., SR-301.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: October 6, to hold hearings to examine pending nominations, 3 p.m., SR-418.

Select Committee on Intelligence: October 5, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH–219.

October 6, Full Committee, to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH–219.

House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, October 7, Full Committee, hearing entitled "A Hearing to Review the State of the Livestock Industry", 12 p.m., 1300 Longworth and Zoom.

Committee on Education and Labor, October 6, Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Investment, hearing entitled "Homecoming: The Historical Roots and Continued Contributions of HBCUs", 12 p.m., Zoom.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, October 6, Sub-committee on Communications and Technology, hearing entitled "Strengthening Our Communications Networks to Meet the Needs of Consumers", 12 p.m., 2123 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, October 6, Subcommittee on International Development, International Organizations and Global Corporate Social Impact, hearing entitled "Development Assistance During Conflict: Lessons from Afghanistan", 1 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Homeland Security, October 7, Sub-committee on Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Recovery, hearing entitled "20 Years After 9/11: Examining Emergency Communications", 12 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, October 6, Office of Insular Affairs Full Committee, hearing entitled "PREPA Post Implementation of the LUMA Transmission and Distribution Contract", 1 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, October 7, Full Committee, hearing entitled "Assessing the Election 'Audit' in Arizona and Threats to American Democracy", 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Small Business, October 6, Full Committee, hearing entitled "SBA's Entrepreneurial Development Programs", 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, October 6, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing entitled "Emerging Contaminants, Forever Chemicals, and More: Challenges to Water Quality, Public Health, and Communities", 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, October 7, Subcommittee on Technology Modernization, hearing entitled "Legislative Hearing on the VA Electronic Health Record Transparency Act of 2021 and IT Reform and Data Collection Bills", 10 a.m., Zoom.

Joint Meetings

Joint Economic Committee: October 6, to hold hearings to examine building back better, focusing on raising revenue to invest in shared prosperity, 2:30 p.m., VTC.